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Dear Supervisors:

### SEVEN-YEAR LEASE CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES DEPARTMENT 5500 SOUTH EASTERN AVENUE, COMMERCE (FIRST DISTRICT) (3 VOTES)

#### SUBJECT

This recommendation is for a new seven-year lease of 39,991 rentable square feet for the Child Support Services Department (CSSD) to provide continued use of premises and reduce existing office space from 48,794 to 39,991 square feet.

#### **IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:**

1. Find that the proposed lease is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Class 1 of the Environmental Document Reporting Procedures and Guidelines adopted by your Board, per Section 15301 of the State of California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines (Existing Facilities).
2. Approve and instruct the Chair to sign a new seven-year lease with ARI-Commerce Office Park, LLC (Landlord) for the Child Support Services Department to occupy 39,991 rentable square feet of office space and 160 parking spaces at 5500 South Eastern Avenue, Commerce, at a maximum annual first year cost of \$887,800. The program is 34 and 66 percent funded by State and Federal funds, respectively.
3. Authorize the Chief Executive Office, Internal Services Department, and the Child Support Services Department to implement the project. The lease will be effective upon approval by your Board.

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### **PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION**

CSSD has occupied the facility since October 1999. CSSD originally occupied 42,250 square feet then increased to 48,794 square feet in January 2004. The current lease expired on December 31, 2008, and is currently on a month-to-month holdover. The facility is used for administrative programs including customer financial services, communications and marketing, policy, staff development, technology and analysis, as well as the State Hearing/Ombudsperson. These programs provide administrative support to case management units serving communities countywide. The State Hearing division responds to clients and to public requests, questions, complaints, and represents the department in quasi-judicial procedures before a State administrative law judge in cases relating to child support issues.

In response to State budget constraints, CSSD has undertaken a restructuring of various programs housed at the facility to reduce the amount of space required and rental costs. Some of the programs have merged, separated, or transferred to other facilities which led to a reduction in staff housed at this location to 177 budgeted positions from 215.

The proposed lease renewal will allow CSSD to reduce the leased premises from 48,794 to 39,991 rentable square feet, a reduction of 8,803 square feet that will generate an estimated annual cost savings of \$119,307. The programs were approved for 34,870 square feet and 177 staff; however, the facility square footage could not be reduced further into smaller contiguous space than the proposed lease provides. While the existing work stations are larger than County standards, the reconfiguring would be cost prohibitive at this time. Renewal will also eliminate the need to relocate the programs to another facility, thus avoiding the costs of Tenant Improvements (TI), furniture, telephone, tele-data and low-voltage requirements associated with acquiring new space.

### **Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals**

The Countywide Strategic Plan directs that we enhance the economic and social outcomes through integrated, cost-effective and client-centered supportive services (Goal 2), and maximize the effectiveness of processes, structure, and operations to support timely delivery of customer-oriented and efficient public services. The proposed lease supports this goal by consolidating operations, improving efficiencies, and preserving resources while continuing to provide quality information and services to children and their families.

### **FISCAL IMPACT/ FINANCING**

The proposed lease will continue housing CSSD in 39,991 square feet of office space and 160 parking spaces at an initial monthly base rent of \$73,983 per month, or \$887,800 annually.

<b>5500 So. Eastern Avenue, Commerce</b>	<b>Existing Lease Amendment No. 1</b>	<b>Proposed Lease</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>Total Area</b>	48,794 sq.ft.	39,991 sq.ft.	- 8,803 sq.ft.
<b>Term</b>	Five years (1/01/04-12/31/08)	Seven years upon Board approval	+Two years
<b>Annual Base Rent</b>	\$1,007,108 (\$20.64/sq.ft.)	\$887,800 (\$22.20/sq.ft.)	-\$119,308 (+\$1.56/sq.ft.)
<b>Base TI Allowance</b>	\$10/sq.ft.	\$10/sq.ft.	None
<b>Cancellation</b>	After the 36 <sup>th</sup> month, with 6 months notice	After the 42 <sup>nd</sup> month, with 6 months notice	+6 months
<b>Parking</b>	195	160	-35
<b>Option to Renew</b>	One five-year	One five-year	None
<b>Rental Adjustment</b>	One-time annual increase of \$0.24, at 30 <sup>th</sup> month.	Consumer Price Index (CPI) capped at 5 percent	+CPI

This is a full-service lease whereby the Landlord is responsible for all operating costs associated with the County of Los Angeles (County) occupancy.

Sufficient funding for the proposed lease costs is included in the 2009-10 Rent Expense budget and will be billed back to CSSD. CSSD has sufficient funding in its 2009-10 operating budget to cover the projected lease renewal costs. Costs associated with the proposed lease will be 34 percent State and 66 percent Federal funded.

### **FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

The proposed seven-year lease will provide 39,991 square feet of office space and 160 parking spaces, and contains the following provisions:

- A reduction in the leasehold premises from 48,794 to 39,991 square feet.
- A seven-year term commencing upon Board approval.
- A full-service gross basis with the Landlord responsible for all operating and maintenance costs.

- A base TI allowance of \$399,910 or \$10 per square foot, included in the base rental rate for new carpet, paint and minor alterations.
- A cancellation provision allowing the County to cancel any time after 42 months with six months prior written notice.
- One five-year option to extend the lease with six months prior written notice.
- Annual rental adjustments based upon CPI with a maximum increase of 5 percent per annum through the term of the lease renewal.

The Chief Executive Office (CEO) Real Estate staff conducted a survey within the Commerce area to determine the availability of comparable and more economical sites. Staff was unable to identify any sites in the surveyed area that could accommodate this requirement more economically. Based upon said survey, staff has established that the rental range for similar office space is between \$20 and \$25 per square foot per year on a full-service gross basis. Thus, the base annual rent of \$22.20 per square foot per year full-service gross, including parking for the proposed lease represents a rate within market range for the area. Attachment B shows County-owned or leased facilities in the proximity of the service area and there are no suitable County-owned or leased facilities available for the program.

The Department of Public Works has inspected this facility and found it suitable for the County's occupancy. Notification letters have been sent to the City of Commerce pursuant to Government Code Sections 25351 and 65402.

A child care center is not feasible for the department in the proposed lease premises.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The CEO has concluded that this project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) as specified in Class 1 of the Environmental Document Reporting Procedures and Guidelines adopted by your Board, and Section 15301 of the State CEQA Guidelines (Existing Facilities).

#### **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

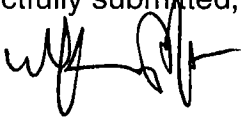
The proposed lease will adequately provide the necessary office space for this County requirement. CSSD concurs with the proposed lease recommendation.

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**CONCLUSION**

It is requested that the Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors, return four originals of the executed lease renewal, two certified copies of the Minute Order and the adopted, stamped Board letter to the CEO, Real Estate Division at 222 South Hill Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90012 for further processing.

Respectfully submitted,



WILLIAM T FUJIOKA  
Chief Executive Officer

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**Attachments**

c: Executive Office, Board of Supervisors  
County Counsel  
Auditor-Controller  
Internal Services Department  
Child Support Services Department

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**CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES DEPARTMENT  
5500 SOUTH EASTERN AVENUE, COMMERCE**

**Asset Management Principles Compliance Form<sup>1</sup>**

<b>1.</b>	<b><u>Occupancy</u></b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>N/A</b>
A	Does lease consolidate administrative functions? <sup>2</sup>	X		
B	Does lease co-locate with other functions to better serve clients? <sup>2</sup>			X
C	Does this lease centralize business support functions? <sup>2</sup>			X
D	Does this lease meet the guideline of 200 sq. ft of space per person? <sup>2</sup> <b>226 square feet per person. The revised space is not further divisible.</b>		X	
<b>2.</b>	<b><u>Capital</u></b>			
A	Is it a substantial net County cost (NCC) program?		X	
B	Is this a long term County program?	X		
C	If yes to 2 A or B; is it a capital lease or an operating lease with an option to buy?		X	
D	If no, are there any suitable County-owned facilities available?		X	
E	If yes, why is lease being recommended over occupancy in County-owned space?			X
F	Is Building Description Report attached as Attachment B?	X		
G	Was build-to-suit or capital project considered? <b>Not feasible at this time and the department desires to remain in existing facility.</b>		X	
<b>3.</b>	<b><u>Portfolio Management</u></b>			
A	Did department utilize CEO Space Request Evaluation (SRE)?	X		
B	Was the space need justified?	X		
C	If a renewal lease, was co-location with other County departments considered?	X		
D	Why was this program not co-located?			
	1. ____ The program clientele requires a "stand alone" facility.			
	2. <u>X</u> No suitable County occupied properties in project area.			
	3. ____ No County-owned facilities available for the project.			
	4. ____ Could not get City clearance or approval.			
	5. ____ The Program is being co-located.			
E	Is lease a full service lease? <sup>2</sup>	X		
F	Has growth projection been considered in space request?	X		
G	Has the Dept. of Public Works completed seismic review/approval?	X		
<sup>1</sup> As approved by the Board of Supervisors 11/17/98				
<sup>2</sup> If not, why not?				

**CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES DEPARTMENT  
SPACE SEARCH OF 35,000 TO 40,000 SQUARE FEET-THREE MILE RADIUS  
FROM HEADQUARTERS AT 5770 SOUTH EASTERN AVENUE, COMMERCE**

LACO	FACILITY NAME	ADDRESS	SQUARE GROSS	FEET NET	OWNERSHIP	SQUARE FEET AVAILABLE
5863	ISD-ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS	1100 N EASTERN AVE, LOS ANGELES 90063	80309	58826	OWNED	NONE
5870	ISD-EASTERN AVE COMPLEX TELECOM BRANCH BLDG	1110 N EASTERN AVE, LOS ANGELES 90063	37742	28973	FINANCED	NONE
3241	EAST LOS ANGELES COURTHOUSE	4848 E CIVIC CENTER WAY, EAST LOS ANGELES 90022	93285	68003	FINANCED	NONE
6578	DPSS-METRO EAST AP DISTRICT OFFICE	2855 E OLYMPIC BLVD, LOS ANGELES 90023	63066	29220	OWNED	NONE
A133	CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES-DIVISION II HQ	5770 S EASTERN AVE, CITY OF COMMERCE 90040-2924	84477	63413	LEASED	NONE
A188	SHERIFF-INTERNAL AFFAIRS BUREAU/RISK MANAGEMT	4900 S EASTERN AVE, CITY OF COMMERCE 90040	38936	33247	LEASED	NONE
A332	CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES-TRAINING/IT DIVISION	5500 S EASTERN AVE, CITY OF COMMERCE 90040	48794	46354	LEASED	NONE
A570	CSDD-INTERSTATE/CALL CENTER/CID	5701 S EASTERN AVE, CITY OF COMMERCE 90040	61130	55017	LEASED	NONE
A157	DCFS BELVEDERE OFFICE	5835 S EASTERN AVE, CITY OF COMMERCE 90040	38814	36873	LEASED	NONE
5428	DPSS-BELVEDERE AP DISTRICT OFFICE	5445 E WHITTIER BLVD, EAST LOS ANGELES 90022	70493	49261	OWNED	NONE
A460	DHS-FERGUSON ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES CENTER	5555 FERGUSON DR, CITY OF COMMERCE 90022	268400	246550	OWNED	NONE
5395	PUBLIC LIBRARY-MONTEBELLO LIBRARY	1550 W BEVERLY BLVD, MONTEBELLO 90640	50530	23989	OWNED	NONE

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE  
LEASE AGREEMENT**

**DEPARTMENT: CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES, as Tenant**

**LANDLORD: ARI-COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC, a LIMITED LIABILITY  
CORPORATION**

**5500 SO. EASTERN AVENUE, SUITES 150 & 200, COMMERCE, CA**

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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LEASE AGREEMENT

THIS LEASE is entered into as of the 9TH day of MARCH, ~~2009~~ <sup>2010</sup> between ARI-COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC ("Landlord"), and COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a body politic and corporate ("Tenant" or "County").

Landlord and Tenant agree:

1. BASIC LEASE INFORMATION. The following terms as used herein shall have the meanings provided in this Section, unless otherwise specifically modified by provisions of this Lease.

1.1 Defined Terms Relating to the Lease:

- (a) Landlord's Address for Notice: Thompson National Property, LLC  
1901 Main Street, Suite 108  
Irvine, CA 92614
- (b) Tenant's Address for Notice: Board of Supervisors  
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration,  
Room 383  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012
- With a copy to:  
Chief Executive Office  
Real Estate Division  
222 South Hill Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
Attention: Director of Real Estate  
Fax Number: (213) 217 - 4971
- (c) Premises: Approximately 39,991 rentable square feet in the Building (defined below) as shown on Exhibit A attached hereto.
- (d) Building: The building located at 5500 So. Eastern Avenue, Commerce, CA which is located upon the real property described more particularly in Exhibit B attached hereto (the "Property");

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- (e) Term: Seven (7) years commencing upon the adoption of this Lease by the County Board of Supervisors (the "Commencement Date"); and terminating at midnight on the day before the seventh anniversary of the Commencement Date (the "Termination Date"), subject to earlier termination by Tenant as provided herein. The phrase "Term of this Lease" or "the Term hereof" as used in this Lease, or words of similar import, shall refer to the initial Term of this Lease together with any additional Extension Term for which an option has been validly exercised.
- (f) Projected Commencement Date: January 31, 2010
- (g) Commencement Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- (h) Irrevocable Offer Expiration Date: December 31, 2009
- (i) Basic Rent: \$73,983.35 per month (which is based upon a rental rate of \$1.85 per rentable square foot (adjustable only as provided in Sections 2(b) and 5 hereof.)
- (j) Early Termination Notice Date: Any time after the Forty-Second (42<sup>nd</sup>) month of the Lease Term, upon six months prior written notice to Landlord and the reimbursement of the unamortized balance of the Additional Tenant Improvements and Change Order Allowance (if any).
- (k) Rentable Square Feet in the Premises: 39,991
- (l) Use: General office use or for any other lawful purposes not incompatible with other uses in the Building.
- (m) Initial Departmental Use: Child Support Services
- (n) Parking Spaces: 160 (4/1000) non-exclusive parking (nontandem).
- (o) Normal Working Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday, except

New Year's Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day (on the days such holidays are generally observed) and such other holidays as are generally recognized by the County of Los Angeles, California.

- (p) Asbestos Report: A report dated June 10, 2002 prepared by Rincon Consultants Inc., a licensed California Asbestos contractor.

1.2 Defined Terms Relating to Landlord's Work Letter:

- (a) Base Tenant Improvement Allowance: \$399,910 (\$10.00/sq.ft.)
- (b) Additional Tenant Improvement Allowance: N/A
- (c) Maximum Change Order Allowance: N/A
- (d) Additional Tenant Improvement and Change Order Amortization Rate: N/A
- (e) Basic Rent Reduction: Twenty-Seven and 38/100 Dollars (\$27.38) per month
- (f) Tenant's Work Representative: Farron Chavarria (213) 974-4155
- (g) Landlord's Work Representative: Ellie Mendiaz (949) 833-8252, Ext.219
- (h) Landlord's Address for Work Notice: Thompson National Properties  
1900 Main Street, Suite 700  
Irvine, CA 92614  
Attn: Ellie Mendiaz
- (i) Tenant's Address for Work Notice: Board of Supervisors  
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration,  
Room 383  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

With a copy to:  
Chief Executive Office  
Real Estate Division  
222 South Hill Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

Los Angeles, California 90012  
Attention: Director of Real Estate  
Fax Number: (213) 217-4971

1.3 Exhibits to Lease:

Exhibit A- Floor Plan of Premises  
Exhibit B- Legal Description of Property  
Exhibit C- Memorandum of Tenant  
Improvement Costs  
Exhibit D- HVAC Standards  
Exhibit E- Cleaning and Maintenance  
Schedule

1.4 Landlord's Work- Exhibit F  
(in lieu of Work Letter executed and attached  
concurrently with this Lease and made a part  
hereof by this reference):

Landlord's Work  
Preparation of Premises subject to Tenant  
Improvement Exhibit F and specifications  
attached to Lease.

1.5 Supplemental Lease  
Documents: (delivered to  
Landlord and made a part hereof by this  
reference):

Document I: Subordination, Non-disturbance  
and Attornment Agreement  
Document II: Tenant Estoppel Certificate  
Document III: Community Business  
Enterprises Form  
Document IV: Memorandum of Lease  
Document V: Request for Notice

2. PREMISES

(a) Landlord does hereby lease to Tenant, and Tenant does hereby lease  
from Landlord, upon the terms and conditions herein set forth, the Premises described in  
Section 1 and Exhibit A attached hereto.

(b) Tenant shall have the right within 90 days of approval of this Lease by  
the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles ("Board of Supervisors") to field-  
measure and verify the exact footage of the Premises and/or the Building. All  
measurements shall be taken in accordance with the methods of measuring  
rentable/usable area as described in the Standard Method for Measuring Floor Area in  
Office Buildings, ANSI Z65.1-1996, as promulgated by the Building Owners and  
Management Association ("BOMA") International except that no penthouse mechanical  
room space shall be included in the measurement. Should this measurement be less than  
the square footage stated above, Tenant shall have the right to adjust such square footage  
and reduce the Basic Rent in Section 1 accomplished by the mutual execution of a  
memorandum of understanding between the Landlord and the Tenant. Landlord  
acknowledges the space has been marketed at the above-indicated rental amount and in  
the event of subsequent physical measurements, Landlord agrees there will be no  
adjustment made to either the square footage or the Basic Rent in the event the measured

square footage exceeds the amount represented by Landlord. Should Landlord and Tenant not agree with respect to the results of the measurement conducted pursuant to this subsection (b) Landlord shall appoint an independent firm or person who is experienced in making such measurements whose determination with respect to which measurement is correct shall be final and binding upon the parties. Landlord and Tenant shall share equally in the fees of such firm.

3. COMMON AREAS. Tenant may use the following areas ("Common Areas") in common with Landlord and other tenants of the Building: the entrances, lobbies and other public areas of the Building, walkways, landscaped areas, driveways necessary for access to the Premises, parking areas and other common facilities designated by Landlord from time to time for common use of all tenants of the Building. Tenant shall comply with all reasonable, non-discriminatory rules and regulations regarding the use of the Common Areas established by Landlord.

#### 4. COMMENCEMENT AND EXPIRATION DATES

(a) Term. The term of this Lease shall commence upon the approval of this Lease by the Board of Supervisors ("the Commencement Date") and terminate seven (7) years thereafter.

(b) Termination Right. If the Commencement Date has not occurred within 60 days from the Projected Commencement Date, subject to Tenant Delays or Force Majeure Delays as provided in Landlord's Work Letter, which has been executed concurrently herewith, Tenant may thereafter, at any time before the Commencement Date occurs, terminate this Lease effective upon the giving of written notice to Landlord and the parties shall have no further obligations to one another hereunder.

(c) Early Possession. Tenant currently occupies the Premises on a month-to-month holdover basis pursuant to the terms of a prior lease with Landlord for the Premises. The parties agree that such holdover tenancy shall be automatically terminated upon execution of this Lease by Tenant's Board of Supervisors.

(d) Early Termination. Tenant shall have the right to terminate this Lease at any time after the Early Termination Notice Date, as defined in Section 1, by giving Landlord not less than 180 days prior written notice executed by the Chief Executive Officer of Tenant.

(e) Option to Renew. Tenant shall have the option to renew this Lease (the "Option") for a period of five years (the "Option Term") under the same terms and conditions except that the rental rate shall be adjusted to fair market rental value. Tenant shall notify Landlord in writing (by letter from Tenant's Chief Executive Office) not less than 6 months prior to expiration of the Lease term of Tenant's intention to exercise its Option. The actual exercise of the Option shall be only by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles.



## 5. RENT

(a) Rent. Tenant shall pay Landlord the Basic Rent stated in Section 1 during the Term hereof within 15 days after a claim therefor for each such month has been filed by Landlord with the Auditor of the County of Los Angeles (the "County") prior to the first day of each month. Basic Rent for any partial month shall be prorated in proportion to the number of days in such month.

(b) Rental Adjustment. For each successive twelve (12) months of the original Term, the monthly rental rate as set forth in Paragraph 1.1(i) hereof shall be subject to adjustment. From and after the first anniversary date of the first day of the first full calendar month following the commencement of this Lease and every twelve months thereafter, the rent shall be adjusted in accordance with the CPI formula set forth in this Section 5 (c).

(c) CPI Formula. The method for computing the annual rental adjustment shall be by reference to the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers for the Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside area, all items published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (1982-84 = 100), herein referred to as the "Index".

The rental adjustment for the Base Rent shall be calculated by multiplying the Landlord's Base Rent of \$73,983.35 per month by a fraction, the numerator being the New Index and the denominator being the Base Index. The New Index is the Index published for the month immediately preceding the month the adjustment is to be effective, and the Base Index is the Index published for the month the Lease commences.

The formula shall be illustrated as follows:

$$(\text{New Index} \div \text{Base Index}) \times \$73,983.35 (\text{Base Rent}) = \text{New Monthly Rent}$$

If the Index is changed so that the base year of the Index differs from that used as of the Commencement Date of the Lease, the Index shall be converted in accordance with the conversion factor published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. If the Index is discontinued or revised during the Term of this Lease, such other governmental Index or computation with which it is replaced shall be used in order to obtain substantially the same result as would be obtained if the Index had not been discontinued or revised. In the event the parties are unable to agree upon a substitute index (if the original Index is discontinued without a replacement) then upon demand by either party, the matter shall be submitted to arbitration for the purpose of determining an alternate method of computing the rent adjustment based upon the increase in the cost of living.

(d) General Provisions.

i. In no event shall the monthly rent adjustment based upon the CPI formula result in an annual increase greater than five percent (5%) per year of the monthly base year rent of \$73,983.35 (i.e., \$3,699.17 per month, annually).

ii. In no event shall the monthly rent be adjusted by the CPI formula to result in a lower monthly rent than was payable during the previous year of the Lease.

6. USES. The Premises are to be used only for the uses set forth in Section 1 and for no other business or purpose; however, Landlord shall not unreasonably withhold its consent to a change of use.

7. HOLDOVER. If Tenant remains in possession of the Premises or any part thereof after the expiration of the Term of this Lease, such occupancy shall be a tenancy which is terminable only upon 90 days written notice from Landlord or 30 days written notice from the Chief Executive Officer of Tenant at the last monthly Basic Rent payable under this Lease (as such Basic Rent may be adjusted from time to time in accordance with this Lease) plus all other charges payable under this Lease, and subject to all of the terms, covenants and conditions of this Lease.

8. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW. Tenant shall, at Tenant's expense, comply promptly with all applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, orders and requirements in effect during the term hereof, regulating the use, occupancy or improvement of the Premises by Tenant. If Landlord has received notice of violation of any items with regard to the Americans with Disabilities Act from Tenant, Landlord will remedy, except the extent such compliance is made necessary as a result of Tenant's particular use of or alteration or improvements to the Premises.

9. DAMAGE OR DESTRUCTION.

(a) Damage. In the event any portion of the Premises is damaged by fire or any other cause rendering the Premises totally or partially inaccessible or unusable and the Premises may be restored to a complete architectural unit of the same value, condition and character that existed immediately prior to such casualty in less than 180 days, then Landlord shall promptly, at Landlord's expense, repair such damage and this Lease shall continue in full force and effect. If all or any portion of the Premises shall be made untenable by fire or other casualty, Landlord shall immediately secure the area to prevent injury to persons and/or vandalism to the improvements. Landlord shall promptly, but in any event within ten days, cause an architect or general contractor selected by Landlord to provide Landlord and Tenant with a written estimate of the amount of time required to substantially complete the repair and restoration of the Premises and make the Premises tenantable again using standard working methods. The failure to do so shall be a material default hereunder. Basic Rent shall abate to the extent that the Premises are unusable by Tenant. Tenant waives the provisions of California Civil Code Sections 1932(2) and 1933(4) with respect to any partial or total destruction of the Premises.

(b) Tenant Termination Right. In the event any portion of the Premises is damaged by fire or any other cause rendering the Premises totally or partially inaccessible or unusable and the Premises will not be restored to a complete architectural unit of the same value, condition and character that existed immediately prior to such casualty in less than 180 days for any reason, then Tenant may terminate this Lease by giving written notice within ten days after notice from Landlord specifying such time period of repair; and this Lease shall terminate and the Basic Rent shall be abated from the date the Premises became untenable. In the event that Tenant does not elect to

terminate this Lease, Landlord shall promptly commence and diligently prosecute to completion the repairs to the Building or Premises.

(c) Damage In Last Year. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, if any material destruction to the Premises occurs during the last year of the Term, either Landlord or Tenant may terminate this Lease by giving notice to the other not more than 30 days after such destruction, in which case (a) Landlord shall have no obligation to restore the Premises, (b) Landlord may retain all insurance proceeds relating to such destruction, and (c) this Lease shall terminate as of the date which is 30 days after such written notice of termination.

(d) Default By Landlord. If Landlord is required to repair and restore the Premises as provided for in this Section and Landlord should fail to thereafter pursue said repair and restoration work with reasonable diligence to completion, Tenant may (a) declare a default hereunder or (b) perform or cause to be performed the restoration work and deduct the cost thereof plus interest thereon at ten percent (10%) per annum, from the Basic Rent next due as a charge against the Landlord.

#### 10. REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE

(a) Landlord Representations. Landlord represents to Tenant that (i) the Premises, the Building and all Common Areas, (including electrical, heating, ventilating and air conditioning ("HVAC"), mechanical, plumbing, gas and fire/life safety systems in the Building and similar building service systems) comply with all current laws, codes, and ordinances, including without limitation the Americans With Disabilities Act; and are in reasonable good working order and condition; (ii) the Building and Premises comply with all covenants, conditions, restrictions and underwriter's requirements; (iii) the Premises, Building and Common Areas are free of the presence of any Hazardous Materials (as hereinafter defined); and (iv) Landlord has not received any notice from any governmental agency that the Building or the Premises are in violation of any law or regulation. Landlord represents, based upon a professional inspection of the Premises and the Building and the Asbestos Report that the Premises and the Building contain no asbestos containing materials (other than as may be reflected in the Asbestos Report). Landlord shall, prior to Tenant's occupancy, abate, at Landlord's sole cost and expense, all asbestos containing materials to the extent required by law and provide Tenant with an updated report from a licensed California Asbestos contractor to that effect, if applicable.

(b) Landlord Obligations. Landlord shall keep and maintain in good repair and working order and promptly make repairs to and perform maintenance upon and replace as needed: (i) the structural elements of the Building, including without limitation, all permanent exterior and interior walls, floors and ceilings, roof, concealed plumbing, stairways, concealed electrical systems and Landlord's telephone intrabuilding network cable; (ii) mechanical (including HVAC), electrical, plumbing and fire/life safety systems serving the Building; (iii) the Common Areas; (iv) exterior windows of the Building; and (v) elevators serving the Building. Landlord, at its sole cost and expense, shall also perform all maintenance and repairs to the Premises, and shall keep the Premises in good condition and repair, reasonable wear and tear excepted. Landlord's

repair obligations include, without limitation, repairs to: (1) the floor covering (if such floor covering is carpeting it shall be replaced as needed but not less often than after five years of use); (2) interior partitions; (3) doors; (4) the interior side of demising walls (which shall be repainted as needed but not less often than every five years); and (5) signage.

(c) Tenant Obligations Without limiting Landlord's Obligations, Tenant shall, at Tenant's sole expense, be responsible for the cost of repairing any area damaged by Tenant or Tenant's agents, employees, invitees and visitors and the repair of low voltage electronic, phone and data cabling and related equipment that is installed by or for the exclusive benefit of Tenant. All repairs and replacements shall: (a) be made and performed by contractors or mechanics approved by Tenant, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed; (b) be at least equal in quality, value and utility to the original work or installation; and (c) be in accordance with all laws.

(d) Tenant's Right to Repair. If Tenant provides written notice (or oral notice in the event of an emergency such as damage or destruction to or of any portion of the Building structure and/or the Building systems and/or anything that could cause material disruption to Tenant's business) to Landlord of an event or circumstance which requires the action of Landlord with respect to repair and/or maintenance, and Landlord fails to commence to provide such action within a reasonable period of time, given the circumstances, after the giving of such notice, but in any event not later than five days after the giving of such notice, then Tenant may proceed to take the required action (provided, however, that no such notice shall be required in the event of an emergency which threatens life or where there is imminent danger to property or a possibility that a failure to take immediate action could cause a material disruption in Tenant's normal and customary business activities). Tenant shall have access to the Building to the extent necessary to perform the work contemplated by this provision. If such action was required under the terms of this Lease to have been taken by Landlord and was not taken by Landlord within such period (unless such notice was not required as provided above), and Tenant took such required action, then Tenant shall be entitled to prompt reimbursement by Landlord of Tenant's reasonable costs and expenses in having taken such action plus interest thereon at ten percent (10%) per annum. If not reimbursed by Landlord within ten days, Tenant shall be entitled to deduct from Basic Rent payable by Tenant under this Lease the amount set forth in its invoice for such work. The remedies provided in this Section are in addition to the remedies provided in Section 14.

## 11. SERVICES AND UTILITIES.

Landlord shall furnish the following services and utilities to the Premises at Landlord's sole expense, unless otherwise specifically provided herein:

(a) Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning. Landlord shall furnish heating, ventilation and air conditioning ("HVAC"), during Normal Working Hours in amounts required for the use and occupancy of the Premises for normal office purposes to a standard comparable to other first-class buildings and not less than the standard set forth in Exhibit D attached hereto.

(b) Electricity. Landlord shall furnish to the Premises the amount of electric current provided for in the Working Drawings (if applicable) but in any event not less than seven watts of electric current (connected load) per square foot of Rentable Square Feet in the Premises, for power and lighting and electric current for HVAC, and Landlord shall provide the existing or new transformers or subpanels on each floor of the Premises necessary for Tenant to utilize such capacity in the Premises.

(c) Elevators. Landlord shall furnish freight and passenger elevator services to the Premises during Normal Working Hours. During all other hours, Landlord shall furnish passenger elevator cab service in the elevator bank serving the Premises on an as needed basis, and, by prior arrangement with Landlord's building manager, freight elevator service.

(d) Water. Landlord shall make available water for normal lavatory and potable water meeting all applicable governmental standards for drinking purposes in the Premises.

(e) Janitorial. Landlord shall provide janitorial service on five nights per week generally consistent with that furnished in comparable office buildings in the County of Los Angeles, but not less than the services set forth in the specifications set forth in Exhibit E attached hereto.

(f) Access. Landlord shall furnish to Tenant's employees and agents access to the Building, Premises and Common Areas on a seven day per week, 24 hour per day basis, subject to compliance with such reasonable security measures as shall from time to time be in effect for the Building.

(g) Utilities to the Premises. Landlord agrees to pay when due any and all charges for the use of the sewer, effluent treatment, when and if imposed by any governmental authority, all water, sprinkler standby charges, electricity, gas, and other lighting, heating and power charges, associated with the HVAC, and other utility rents and charges accruing or payable in connection with the necessary use of the Premises during the Term of this Lease or any renewal extension, Option Term or holdover thereof, whether the same are pro-rated or measured by separate meters.

12. LANDLORD ACCESS. Tenant shall permit Landlord and its agents to enter the Premises upon prior written notice for the purpose of inspecting the Premises for any reasonable purpose. If Landlord temporarily closes any portion of the Building or Premises, Basic Rent shall be prorated based upon the percentage of the Premises or Building rendered untenable and not used by Tenant. Landlord shall have the right at any and all times to enter the Premises in the event of an emergency.

### 13. TENANT DEFAULT.

(a) Default. The occurrence of any one or more of the following events (a "Tenant Default") shall constitute a material default and breach of this Lease by Tenant:

(i) The failure by Tenant to make any payment of Basic Rent or any other payment required to be made by Tenant hereunder (except to the extent an offset is expressly permitted hereunder), as and when due and if the failure continues for a period of ten days after written notice to Tenant;

(ii) The failure by Tenant to observe or perform any of the other covenants, conditions or provisions of this Lease, where such failure shall continue for a period of 30 days after written notice from Landlord specifying in detail the nature of the Tenant Default; provided, however, if more than 30 days are reasonably required for its cure then Tenant shall not be deemed to be in default if Tenant commences such cure within said 30-day period and thereafter diligently prosecutes such cure to completion.

(b) Termination. Tenant agrees that if a Tenant Default should occur and should not be cured within the time periods set forth above, it shall be lawful for Landlord to terminate this Lease upon the giving of written notice to Tenant. In addition thereto, Landlord shall have such other rights or remedies as may be provided by law.

(c) No Effect on Indemnity. Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to affect either Landlord or Tenant's right to indemnification under any indemnification clause or clauses set forth in this Lease.

#### 14. LANDLORD DEFAULT.

(a) Remedies. In addition to the provisions for Landlord's default provided by Sections 9(d), 10(c) 19 and 20(b), Landlord shall be in default ("Landlord Default") in the performance of any obligation required to be performed by Landlord under this Lease if Landlord has failed to perform such obligation within fifteen days after the giving of written notice with respect thereto by Tenant (which notice shall be, if appropriate, the same notice given under Section 10(c)) ; provided, however, that if the nature of the Landlord Default is such that the same cannot reasonably be cured within such fifteen day period, Landlord shall not be deemed to be in Landlord Default if Landlord shall within such period commence such cure and thereafter diligently prosecute the same to completion. If the Landlord Default is of such a nature that it materially and substantially interferes with Tenant's occupancy and use of the Premises and if such Landlord Default is not cured within the fifteen business days, then Tenant shall have the right, at its option, after two days further written notice to Landlord or any other person, to any one or more of the following described remedies in addition to all other rights and remedies provided at law or in equity or elsewhere herein: (i) to remedy such default or breach and deduct the commercially reasonable costs thereof (including but not limited to attorneys' fees) plus interest at the rate of ten (10%) per annum from the installments of Basic Rent next falling due; (ii) to pursue the remedy of specific performance; (iii) to seek money damages for loss arising from Landlord's failure to discharge its obligations under this Lease or offset such damages against Basic Rent next coming due; and/or (iv) to terminate this Lease.

(b) Waiver Nothing herein contained shall relieve Landlord from its duty to effect the repair, replacement, correction or maintenance required to restore any affected services, or to perform any other obligations to the standard prescribed in this Lease, nor shall this Section be construed to obligate Tenant to undertake any such work.

(c) Emergency Notwithstanding the foregoing cure period, Tenant may cure any default without notice where the failure promptly to cure such default would, in the reasonable opinion of Tenant, create or allow to persist an emergency condition or materially and adversely affect the operation of Tenant's business in the Premises.

15. ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLETTING. Tenant may assign, mortgage, encumber or otherwise transfer this Lease or sublet the whole or any part of the Premises without first obtaining Landlord's prior consent: provided, however, that no such assignment, subletting or other transfer shall relieve Tenant of any liability under this Lease unless Landlord has given its written consent thereto, which Landlord shall not unreasonably withhold if the assignee has a financial condition which is reasonably sufficient for it to be responsible for all future obligations under this Lease. Tenant shall not be permitted to sublease to another group that interacts with the Public, without prior written consent from the Landlord.

16. ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.

(a) Landlord Consent Tenant shall not make any structural alterations, improvements, additions, or utility installations in or about the Premises (collectively, "Alterations") without first obtaining the written consent of Landlord, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed. However, Landlord's consent shall not be required for any Alteration that satisfies all of the following criteria: (1) complies with all Laws; (2) is not visible from the exterior of the Premises or Building; (3) will not materially affect the systems or structure of the Building; (4) does not unreasonably interfere with the normal and customary business office operations of other tenants in the Building; and (5) cost, in total, \$25,000.00 or less. If Landlord fails to respond in writing within 30 days of such request, Landlord shall be deemed to approve the Alterations.

(b) End of Term. Any Alterations not removed by Tenant shall become the property of Landlord and remain upon and be surrendered with the Premises at the expiration of the Term.

17. CONDEMNATION.

(a) Controlling Terms. If during the Term, or during the period of time between the execution of this Lease and the Commencement Date, there is any taking of all or any part of the Premises or any interest in this Lease by Condemnation (as defined below), this Section shall determine the rights and obligations of Tenant and Landlord. "Condemnation" shall mean the exercise of any governmental power to take title to any portion of the Premises, whether by legal proceedings or otherwise, by a Condemnor (as defined below) or a voluntary sale or transfer by Landlord to any Condemnor, either

under threat of a Condemnor's exercise of such power or while legal proceedings are pending for the exercise of such power. "Condemnor" shall mean any public or quasi-public authority, or private corporation or individual, having the power of Condemnation.

(b) Total Taking. If the Premises are totally taken by Condemnation, this Lease shall terminate on the date the Condemnor has a right to possession of the Premises (the "Date of Taking").

(c) Partial Taking. If any portion, but not all, of the Premises is taken by Condemnation, this Lease shall remain in effect, except that Tenant may elect to terminate this Lease if, in Tenant's reasonable judgment, the remaining portion of the Premises (including the space available for parking) is rendered unsuitable for Tenant's continued use of the Premises. If Tenant elects to so terminate this Lease, Tenant must exercise its right to terminate by giving notice to Landlord within 30 days after the date that the nature and the extent of the Condemnation have been determined (the "Determination Date"), which notice shall set forth the date of termination. Such termination date shall not be earlier than 30 days nor later than 90 days after Tenant has notified Landlord of its election to terminate; except that this Lease shall terminate on the Date of Taking if the Date of Taking falls on a date before the date of termination as designated by Tenant. If Tenant does not so notify Landlord within 30 days after the Determination Date, all obligations of Tenant under this Lease shall remain in effect, except that Basic Rent shall be equitably abated.

(d) Restoration. Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, if, within 30 days after the Determination Date, Landlord notifies Tenant that Landlord at its cost will add to the remaining Premises so that the area of the Premises and the space available for parking, will be substantially the same after the Date of Taking as they were before the Date of Taking, and Landlord commences the restoration promptly and, subject to reasonable allowance for delays that are not caused by Landlord, completes it within 120 days after Landlord so notifies Tenant, this Lease shall continue in effect. All obligations of Tenant under this Lease shall remain in effect, except that Basic Rent shall be equitably abated or reduced during the period from the Date of Taking until the completion of such restoration.

(e) Award. The Award (as defined below) shall be divided between Landlord and Tenant as their respective interests may appear. "Award" shall mean all compensation, sums or anything of value awarded, paid or received on a total or partial Condemnation of the Premises.

(f) Waiver of Statute. Landlord and Tenant hereby waive the provision of California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1265.130 allowing Landlord or Tenant to petition the superior court to terminate this Lease in the event of a partial taking of the Premises.

## 18. INDEMNIFICATION.



(a) Tenant's Indemnity. Tenant shall indemnify, defend and hold Landlord harmless from and against all loss, cost and expense, including attorneys' fees, arising from any injury or damage to any person or property, occurring in or about the Building or Premises as a result of any negligent act, omission or willful misconduct of Tenant or its employees, or arising from any breach or default under this Lease by Tenant. The foregoing provisions shall not be construed to make Tenant responsible for loss, damage, liability or expense resulting from injuries to third parties caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of Landlord, or its officers, contractors, licensees, agents, employees or invitees..

(b) Landlord's Indemnity. Landlord shall indemnify, defend and hold Tenant harmless from and against all loss, cost and expense, including attorneys' fees, arising from any injury or damage to any person or property, occurring in or about the Building or Premises as a result of any negligent act, omission or willful misconduct of Landlord, or its officers, contractors, licensees, agents, employees, guests, or visitors, or arising from any breach or default under this Lease by Landlord. The foregoing provisions shall not be construed to make Landlord responsible for loss, damage, liability or expense resulting from injuries to third parties caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of Tenant, or its officers, contractors, licensees, agents, employees or invitees.

## 19. INSURANCE.

(a) Landlord's Insurance. During the term of this Lease, Landlord shall maintain the following insurance:

(i) Commercial property insurance which shall (1) cover damage to Landlord's property, including improvements and betterments, from perils covered by the causes-of-loss special form (ISO form CP 10 30), and include ordinance or law coverage (and coverage against acts of terrorism to the extent such coverage is reasonably available and priced at commercially reasonable rates); and (2) be written for full replacement cost of the property, with a deductible of no greater than 5% of the property value. Landlord shall carry insurance on any furniture and furnishings which will become the property of Tenant at the expiration of the Term and on all modular furniture installed in the Premises. Insurance proceeds shall be payable to Landlord and Tenant as their interests may appear and be utilized for repair and restoration of the Premises.

(ii) General liability insurance (written on ISO policy form CG 00 01 or its equivalent) with limits of not less than the following: (1) per occurrence and general aggregate amount of \$5,000,000; (2) products/completed operations aggregate of \$2,000,000; and (3) personal and advertising injury of \$1,000,000.

(iii) Failure by Landlord to maintain the insurance required by this Section and deliver evidence thereof as required by this Lease or to use any insurance proceeds to timely repair and restore the Premises shall constitute a material breach of this Lease.

(b) Insurance Requirements. All insurance policies required to be maintained by Landlord under this Lease shall be issued by insurance companies which have a Best's Rating of "AVII" or better and which are qualified to do business in the State of California. All liability and property damage and other casualty policies of Landlord shall be written as primary policies, not contributing with, and not in excess of coverage which Tenant may carry.

(c) Certificates. Landlord shall deliver to Tenant on the Commencement Date of this Lease and thereafter at least 30 days prior to expiration of any insurance required to be carried hereunder, certificates of insurance evidencing this coverage with limits not less than those specified above. Certificates shall include the address of the leased premises and must document that each party has named the other as an additional insured (or its equivalent) on its general liability and property insurance policy, and that Tenant has been named a loss payee on Landlord's commercial property insurance policy, as required. Further, all certificates shall expressly provide that no less than 30 days' prior written notice shall be given to Tenant in the event of material change to, expiration or cancellation of the coverages or policies evidenced by the certificates. At the sole option of the Tenant, it may self-insure by self-funding any or all of its insurance obligations required under this Agreement. It is understood that if Tenant elects to self-insure as permitted above, Landlord shall have the same benefits and protections as if Tenant carried insurance with a third party insurance company satisfying the requirements of this Lease (including, without limitation, waiver of subrogation provision).

(d) Waiver of Subrogation. Landlord and Tenant each hereby waive their rights of subrogation against one another to the extent it is covered by the property insurance policies required to be carried hereunder. Landlord shall cause its insurance carriers to consent to the foregoing waiver of rights of subrogation against Tenant.

(e) Tenant's Insurance. During the term of the Lease, Tenant shall be self-insured, and shall deliver evidence thereof to Landlord. In the event that there are changes in Tenant's insurance status, Tenant shall notify Landlord in writing no less than sixty (60) days before such changes become effective.

## 20. PARKING.

(a) Tenant's Rights. Tenant shall have the right to the number of exclusive reserved parking stalls set forth in Section 1 without charge for the Term of this Lease. No tandem parking shall be permitted and Tenant shall be entitled to full in/out privileges. Tenant's parking rights shall be subject to reasonable parking rules and regulations adopted by Landlord from time to time, provided that such procedures shall be uniformly applied to all tenants. Tenant acknowledges that all other parking spaces are not for the exclusive use of Tenant, rather, all such parking spaces are to be used on a non-exclusive, first-come, first-served basis by Tenant and other tenants, occupants, licensees, invitees and permittees of the Building.

(b) Remedies. Landlord acknowledges that it is a material term of this Lease that Tenant receive all of the Parking Spaces to which it is entitled under this Lease for the entire Term of this Lease and that it would be impracticable and extremely difficult to fix the actual damages for a breach of such provisions. It is therefore agreed that if, for any reason whatsoever, a material number of the Parking Spaces required above are not available to Tenant, (in addition to the rights given to Tenant under Section 14 and Sections 9 and 17 in the event of casualty or condemnation) Tenant may (a) terminate this Lease by giving written notice of such termination to Landlord, which notice shall be effective thirty (30) days thereafter or (b) deduct from the Basic Rent thereafter accruing hereunder an amount each month equal to the Basic Rent times the percentage of Parking Spaces not so provided times 1.5 but such deduction from Basic Rent shall be not less than ten percent (10%) nor more than one hundred percent (100%).

## 21. ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

(a) Hazardous Materials. Tenant shall not cause nor permit, nor allow any of Tenant's employees, agents, customers, visitors, invitees, licensees, contractors, assignees or subtenants to cause or permit, any Hazardous Materials to be brought upon, stored, manufactured, generated, blended, handled, recycled, treated, disposed or used on, under or about the Premises, the Building or the Common Areas, except for routine office and janitorial supplies in usual and customary quantities stored, used and disposed of in accordance with all applicable Environmental Laws. As used herein, "Hazardous Materials" means any chemical, substance, material, controlled substance, object, condition, waste, living organism or combination thereof, whether solid, semi solid, liquid or gaseous, which is or may be hazardous to human health or safety or to the environment due to its radioactivity, ignitability, corrosivity, reactivity, explosivity, toxicity, carcinogenicity, mutagenicity, phytotoxicity, infectiousness or other harmful or potentially harmful properties or effects, including, without limitation, molds, toxic levels of bacteria, tobacco smoke within the Premises, petroleum and petroleum products, asbestos, radon, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), refrigerants (including those substances defined in the Environmental Protection Agency's "Refrigerant Recycling Rule," as amended from time to time) and all of those chemicals, substances, materials, controlled substances, objects, conditions, wastes, living organisms or combinations thereof which are now or become in the future listed, defined or regulated in any manner by any Environmental Law based upon, directly or indirectly, such properties or effects. As used herein, "Environmental Laws" means any and all federal, state or local environmental, health and/or safety-related laws, regulations, standards, decisions of courts, ordinances, rules, codes, orders, decrees, directives, guidelines, permits or permit conditions, currently existing and as amended, enacted, issued or adopted in the future which are or become applicable to Tenant, the Premises, the Building or the Common Areas.

(b) Landlord Indemnity. Landlord shall indemnify, protect, defend (by counsel acceptable to Tenant) and hold harmless Tenant from and against any and all claims, judgments, causes of action, damage, penalties, fine, taxes, costs, liabilities, losses and expenses arising at any time during or after the Term as a result (directly or indirectly) of or in connection with the presence of Hazardous Materials on, under or

about the Premises, Building or Common Areas or other violation of laws relating to Hazardous Materials other than caused by Tenant. This indemnity shall include, without limitation, the cost of any required or necessary repair, cleanup or detoxification, and the preparation and implementation of any closure, monitoring or other required plans, as such action is required by local or state laws or any governmental agency. Landlord shall promptly deliver to Tenant a copy of any notice received from any governmental agency during the Term of this Lease concerning the presence of Hazardous Materials in the Building or the Premises. Landlord's obligations pursuant to the foregoing indemnity shall survive the expiration or termination of this Lease. A default by Landlord under this Section shall constitute a material default under this Lease.

22. ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES. Tenant shall, within 15 days after written request of Landlord, execute, acknowledge and deliver to Landlord or its designee a written statement in the form of Document II in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith (properly completed) but shall have no other obligation to deliver any other form of estoppel certificate. It is intended that any such statement delivered pursuant to this Section may be relied upon by a prospective purchaser of Landlord's interest or holder of any mortgage upon Landlord's interest in the Premises.

### 23. TENANT IMPROVEMENTS.

(a) Base Tenant Improvements. Landlord, at its sole expense, shall provide Tenant with a base tenant improvement allowance of \$10.00 per rentable square foot (i.e. \$ 399,910) (the "**Base Tenant Improvement Allowance**"), following the Term Commencement Date, to be used to perform the work more particularly described in Exhibit F attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference (collectively, the "**Landlord Work**"). The Landlord Work shall be performed using Building standard materials, procedures and specifications, as set forth in Exhibit F hereto. Landlord agrees to perform Landlord Work before 7:00 a.m. or after 6:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays and/or any time on weekends. Tenant hereby agrees to use its best efforts to cooperate with Landlord in connection with the construction of the Landlord Work. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding sentence, in connection with the performance of the Landlord Work, Landlord agrees to move, to the extent necessary, but at no liability to the Landlord, Tenant's furniture and such other items as Landlord may require be moved in order to perform the Landlord Work; provided, however, Tenant shall be required to move Tenant's computers, copiers, and other personal property which Landlord or its contractor may request be moved. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Landlord shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to perform the Landlord Work in a manner so as to minimize unreasonable interferences with Tenant's business at the Premises. Landlord shall endeavor to perform all Landlord Work within three (3) months of the approval of this Lease by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles.

The Landlord shall submit three bids for the construction of the Landlord Work to the County for its review prior to award of the contract for performance of such Landlord Work. The bids shall include an itemized list of all materials and labor and shall include all additional costs including A/E fees, permits, reasonable contractor's profit and

overhead, and project management fees. Three bids for the purchase and installation of the office furniture system, prepared by the furniture dealer, shall be included in the construction estimates, if applicable.

The cost of the Landlord Work shall not include any costs incurred for asbestos abatement, fire sprinkler system, or conversion of air conditioning systems to eliminate use of CFC refrigerants that are harmful to the atmosphere. All said work for required asbestos abatement, fire sprinkler system, or air conditioning system conversion shall be performed at the sole cost and expense of Landlord and shall not be counted toward the Base Tenant Improvement Allowance.

(b) Additional Tenant Improvements- INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.

(c) Unused Allowance. In the event that all or any portion of the Base Tenant Improvement Allowance is not utilized for the Landlord Work, then such unused amount shall be credited to the Basic Rent owed by Tenant pursuant to Paragraph 1.1 (i) of the Lease, over the Lease term at the rate of Twenty-Seven dollars and 38/100 (\$27.38) per month for each ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00) of unused Base Tenant improvement amount, or Landlord may elect to credit the unused amount to Basic Rent for the two (2) months (or more, if required) immediately following completion of the Landlord Work. Landlord shall provide to Tenant a detailed breakdown of the total Landlord Work costs. Such breakdown shall be in the form of the Memorandum of Tenant Improvement Cost attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by this reference and shall be executed by the parties within thirty (30) days after Landlord delivers the same to Tenant. Tenant shall have the right to audit such costs for a period of twelve (12) months from the date such breakdown is delivered to Tenant. The Tenant's Chief Executive Office ("CEO") shall be authorized to sign the Memorandum of Tenant Improvement Cost on behalf of the Tenant.

24. LIENS. Tenant shall keep its interest in this Lease and the Premises free from any liens arising out of any work performed or materials ordered or obligations incurred by Tenant. Landlord shall keep its interest in this Lease and the Premises free from any liens which would impair the interest of Tenant hereunder and hereby indemnifies and holds Tenant harmless from any liability or loss from any such lien.

## 25. SUBORDINATION AND MORTGAGES

(a) Subordination and Non-Disturbance. Tenant agrees, at Landlord's option, to subordinate this Lease to the lien of any mortgages or deeds of trust now or hereafter in force against the Building; provided, however, Tenant's obligation to subordinate this Lease is expressly conditioned upon Tenant receiving a written agreement in the form of Document I in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith and provided further that no such subordination shall affect any option to extend the Term of this Lease, right of first offer to lease additional premises, option to purchase or right of first offer to purchase the Property which may be included herein.

(b) Existing Deeds of Trust. The beneficiary under any existing deed of trust affecting the Building shall provide a written agreement to Tenant in the form of Document I in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith within 30 days after the execution of this Lease.

(c) Request for Notice. Landlord acknowledges that Tenant intends to record a Request for Notice with respect to any mortgages or deeds of trust affecting the Property in the form of Document V in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith.

(d) Notice of Default. If any mortgagee or beneficiary under a deed of trust affecting the Property gives written notice of its name and address to Tenant by registered mail requesting any such notice with reference to this Section, Tenant agrees to use its best efforts (but without liability for failure to do so) to give such mortgagee a copy of any notice of default served upon Landlord hereunder which could permit Tenant to terminate this Lease and an additional ten days within which to cure such default.

26. SURRENDER OF POSSESSION. Subject to casualty, at the expiration of the Term of this Lease, whether by lapse of time or otherwise, Tenant shall promptly and peacefully surrender the Premises to Landlord in a "broom-clean" condition. Tenant shall be required to remove, at its own expense, all fixtures, equipment and all other personal property placed or installed in or upon the Premises by Tenant, or under its authority (including any modular furniture).

27. SIGNAGE. Tenant shall be permitted to install at the Premises reasonably appropriate signs that conform with any and all applicable laws and ordinances.

28. QUIET ENJOYMENT. So long as Tenant is not in default hereunder, Tenant shall have the right to the quiet and peaceful enjoyment and possession of the Premises and the Common Areas during the Term of this Lease, subject to the terms and conditions of this Lease.

## 29. GENERAL

(a) Headings. Titles to Sections of this Lease are not a part of this Lease and shall have no effect upon the construction or interpretation of any part hereof.

(b) Successors and Assigns. All of the covenants, agreements, terms and conditions contained in this Lease shall inure to and be binding upon the Landlord and Tenant and their respective successors and assigns.

(c) Brokers. Landlord and Tenant each represent and warrant to each other that it has not engaged any broker, finder or other person who would be entitled to any commission or fees in respect of the negotiation, execution or delivery of this Lease other than as disclosed to the other in writing and shall indemnify and hold harmless each other against any loss, cost, liability or expense incurred by the other party as a result of any claim asserted by any such broker, finder or other person on the basis of any arrangements or agreements made or alleged to have been made in variance with this

representation. Tenant shall receive from Landlord or Landlord's broker, within thirty (30) days after the execution of this Lease, an amount equal to 1% of the gross consideration of the Lease for the non cancelable portion of the Lease, or the first forty-two (42) months of the Term as commissions due to Landlord's broker as a result of the execution of this Lease.

(d) Entire Agreement. This Lease (and the Landlord's Work Letter and Supplemental Lease Documents) is the final and complete expression of Landlord and Tenant relating in any manner to the leasing, use and occupancy of the Premises, to Tenant's use of the Building and other matters set forth in this Lease. No prior agreements or understanding pertaining to the same shall be valid or of any force or effect and the covenants and agreements of this Lease shall not be altered, modified or added to except in writing signed by both Landlord and Tenant.

(e) Severability. Any provision of this Lease which shall prove to be invalid, void or illegal shall in no way affect, impair or invalidate any other provision hereof and the remaining provisions hereof shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect.

(f) Notices. All notices and communications to any party hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed properly given if delivered personally, sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, or by a recognized overnight commercial messenger providing proof of delivery, facsimile (electronically confirmed) to Landlord's Address for Notice and Tenant's Address for Notice as set forth in Section 1. Any notice so given shall be deemed to have been given as of the date of delivery (whether accepted or refused) established by U.S. Post Office return receipt or the overnight carrier's proof of delivery, as the case may be. Any such notice not so given shall be deemed given upon receipt of the same by the party to whom the same is to be given.

(g) Governing Law and Forum. This Lease shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of California. Any litigation with respect to this Lease shall be conducted in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

(h) Waivers. No waiver by Landlord or Tenant of any provision hereof shall be deemed a waiver of any other provision hereof or of any subsequent breach by Landlord or Tenant of the same or any other provision. Landlord's or Tenant's consent to or approval of any act shall not be deemed to render unnecessary the obtaining of Landlord's or Tenant's consent to or approval of any subsequent act by Landlord or Tenant.

(i) Time of Essence. Time is of the essence for the performance of all of the obligations specified hereunder.

(j) Consent. Whenever any consent is required by Landlord or Tenant hereunder, such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed and, unless otherwise specifically provided herein, shall be deemed granted if not refused

within ten (10) days after written request is made therefore, together with all necessary information.

(k) Community Business Enterprises. Landlord shall complete and deliver to Tenant concurrently with the execution hereof a Community Business Enterprises form set forth as Document III in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith.

(l) Memorandum of Lease. If requested by Tenant, Landlord and Tenant shall execute and acknowledge a Memorandum of Lease in the form of Document IV in the Supplemental Lease Documents delivered to Landlord concurrently herewith, which Memorandum may be recorded by Tenant in the Official Records of Los Angeles County.

30. AUTHORITY. Only the Board of Supervisors has the authority, by formally approving and/or executing this Lease, to bind the County to the terms included herein. Each individual executing this Lease on behalf of Tenant represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Lease on behalf of Tenant, and that this Lease is binding upon Tenant in accordance with its terms. Landlord understands that no material terms of this Lease may be altered or deleted, nor may any new material terms be added to this Lease, without the express written approval of the Board of Supervisors, either through an amendment to the Lease or by other formal board action. No County officer, employee, agent or independent contractor has any authority to alter, add or delete the material terms of this Lease and Landlord may not rely upon any representations to the contrary. This limitation of authority applies to all material terms of the Lease including, without limitation, any monetary ceiling established for Tenant Improvements or other project costs of Landlord which are subject to reimbursement by County. County shall not reimburse Landlord for any expenses which exceed this ceiling. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Chief Executive Officer of the County or its delegate (the "Chief Executive Officer") may take any administrative act on behalf of Tenant hereunder which does not have the effect of increasing Basic Rent or other financial obligations of Tenant under this Lease, including without limitation, granting any approvals, terminating this Lease in the manner provided herein by an Early Termination Notice or otherwise, signing estoppel certificates, signing the Commencement Date Memorandum and Confirmation of Lease Terms or subordinating this Lease. Each individual executing this Lease on behalf of Landlord represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Lease on behalf of Landlord, and that this Lease is binding upon Landlord in accordance with its terms.

### 31. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY LANDLORD

Landlord acknowledges that it is aware of the following provisions:

(a) Consideration of GAIN Program Participants. Should Landlord require additional or replacement personnel after the effective date of this Lease, Landlord shall give consideration for any such employment, openings to participants in the County Department of Public Social Services' Greater Avenues for Independence



("GAIN") Program who meet Landlord's minimum qualifications for the open position. The County will refer GAIN participants by job category to Landlord.

(b) Solicitation of Consideration. It is improper for any County officer, employee or agent to solicit consideration in any form from a landlord with the implication, suggestion or statement that the landlord's provision of the consideration may secure more favorable treatment for the landlord in the award of the Lease or that landlord's failure to provide such consideration may negatively affect the County's consideration of the landlord's offer to lease. A landlord shall not offer or give, either directly or through an intermediary, consideration in any form to a County officer, employee or agent for the purpose of securing favorable treatment with respect to the award of the Lease.

Landlord shall immediately report any attempt by a County officer, employee or agent to solicit such improper consideration. The report shall be made either to the County manager charged with the supervision of the employee or to the County Auditor-Controller's Employee Fraud Hotline at (213) 974-0914 or (800) 544-6861. Failure to report such solicitation may result in the landlord's submission being eliminated from consideration.

(c) Landlord Assignment.

(i) Landlord may assign, transfer, mortgage, hypothecate or encumber Landlord's right, title and interest in and to this Lease or any portion thereof (including the right to receive rental payments but excluding its duties and obligations hereunder), and Landlord may execute any and all instruments providing for the payment of Basic Rent directly to an assignee or transferee, but only if the conditions set forth in this Section are met.

(ii) Any document or agreement purporting to assign, transfer, mortgage, hypothecate or encumber Landlord's right, title and interest in and to this Lease or any portion thereof, is hereinafter referred to as a "Security Agreement." Any Security Agreement which is executed without full compliance with the requirements of this Section shall be void.

(iii) Each assignee or transferee under the Security Agreement shall certify and agree in writing that such assignee or transferee has read and is familiar with the requirements of Sections 5950-5955 of the California Government Code, which prohibits the offer or sale of any security constituting a fractional interest in this Lease or any portion thereof, without the prior written consent of the County. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the County hereby acknowledges and agrees that Landlord shall have the right to encumber the Property with CMBS (collateralized mortgage backed securities) financing or other traditional real estate financing. However, Landlord may not encumber the Property through any type of bond financing vehicle, including, but not limited to certificate of participation financing.

(iv) Violation by Landlord of the provisions of Section 5951 of the California Government Code will constitute a material breach of this Lease, upon which the County may impose damages in an amount equal to the greater of (a) \$500,000 or (b) 10% of the aggregate principal portion of all rental payments payable by the County during the entire Term of this Lease, it being expressly agreed that the aforesaid amount shall be imposed as liquidated damages, and not as a forfeiture or penalty. It is further specifically agreed that the aforesaid amount is presumed to be the amount of damages sustained by reason of any such violation, because from the circumstances and nature of the violation it would be impracticable and extremely difficult to fix actual damages. In addition, the County may exercise or pursue any other right or remedy it may have under this Lease or applicable law.

(v) Landlord shall give the County notice and a copy of each Security Agreement and any other instrument relating thereto (including, but not limited to, instruments providing for the payment of Basic Rent directly to an assignee or transferee) at least two weeks prior to the effective date thereof.

(vi) Landlord shall not furnish any information concerning County or the subject matter of this Lease (including, but not limited to, offering memoranda, financial statements, economic and demographic information, and legal opinions rendered by the office of counsel for the County) to any person or entity, except with County's prior written consent. Landlord shall indemnify, defend and hold County and its officers, agents and employees harmless from and against all claims and liability alleged to arise from the inaccuracy or incompleteness of any information furnished by Landlord in violation of this Section.

(vii) The provisions of this Section shall be binding upon and applicable to the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns. Whenever in this Section Landlord is referred to, such reference shall be deemed to include Landlord's successors or assigns, and all covenants and agreements by or on behalf of Landlord herein shall bind and apply to Landlord's successors and assigns whether so expressed or not.

32. IRREVOCABLE OFFER. In consideration for the time and expense that Tenant will invest, including, but not limited to, preliminary space planning, legal review, and preparation and noticing for presentation to the Tenant's Real Estate Management Commission of Los Angeles (if applicable) County in reliance on Landlord's agreement to lease the Premises to Tenant under the terms of this Lease, Landlord irrevocably offers to enter into this Lease and not to revoke this offer until the Irrevocable Offer Expiration Date, as defined in Section 1.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF this Lease has been executed the day and year first above set forth.

LANDLORD:

ARI COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC

By: [Signature]

Name: STEVEN P. WINGER

Its: SVP

NATIONAL LEASING DIRECTOR

TENANT:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

a body politic and corporate

By: [Signature]

Name: GLORIA MOLINA

Chair, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Sachi A. Hamai  
Executive Officer-Clerk  
of the Board of Supervisors

By: [Signature]  
Deputy



I hereby certify that pursuant to  
Section 25103 of the Government Code,  
delivery of this document has been made.

SACHI A. HAMAI  
Executive Officer  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: [Signature]  
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By: [Signature]  
Amy M. Cayes  
Senior Deputy

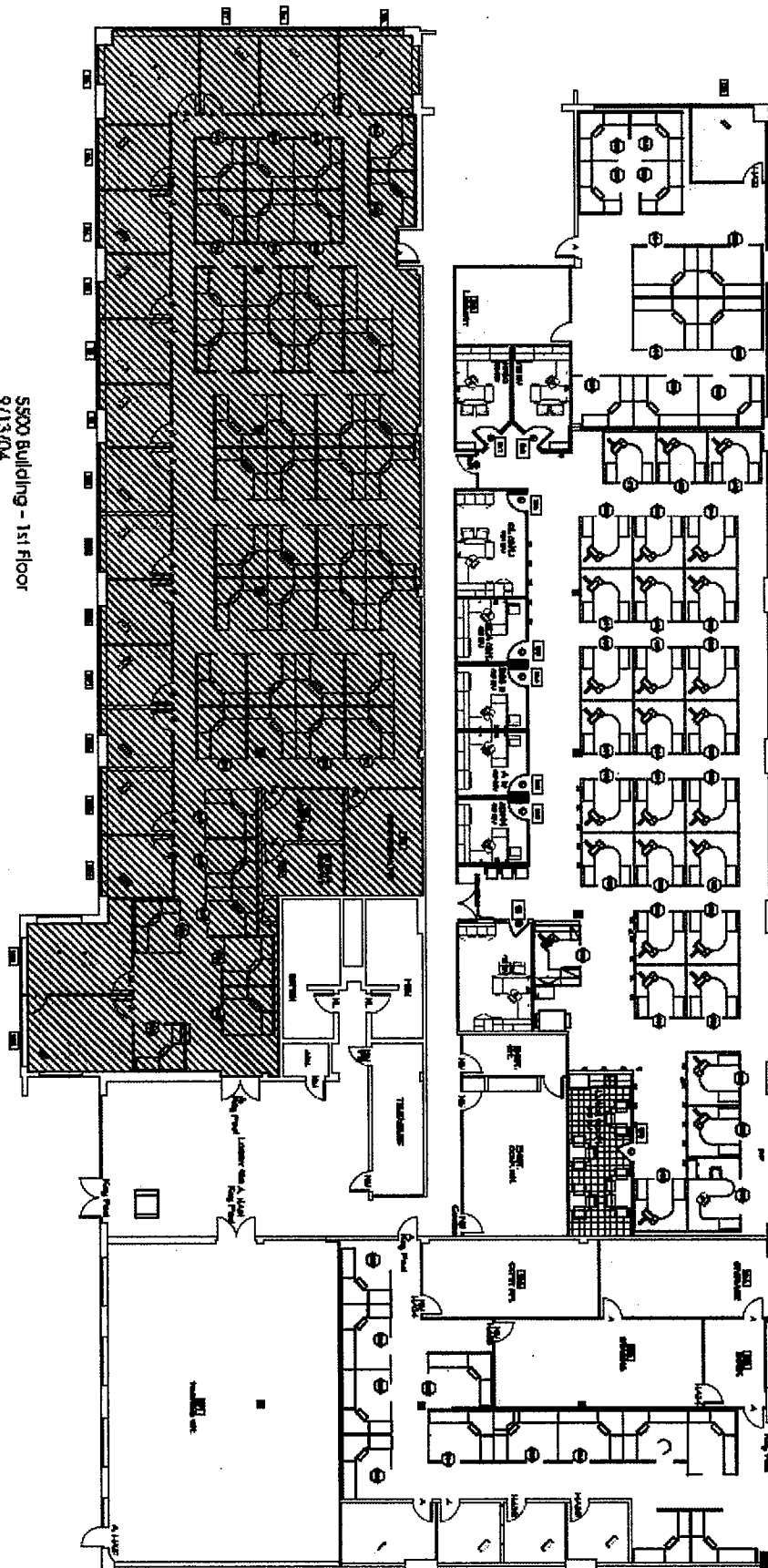
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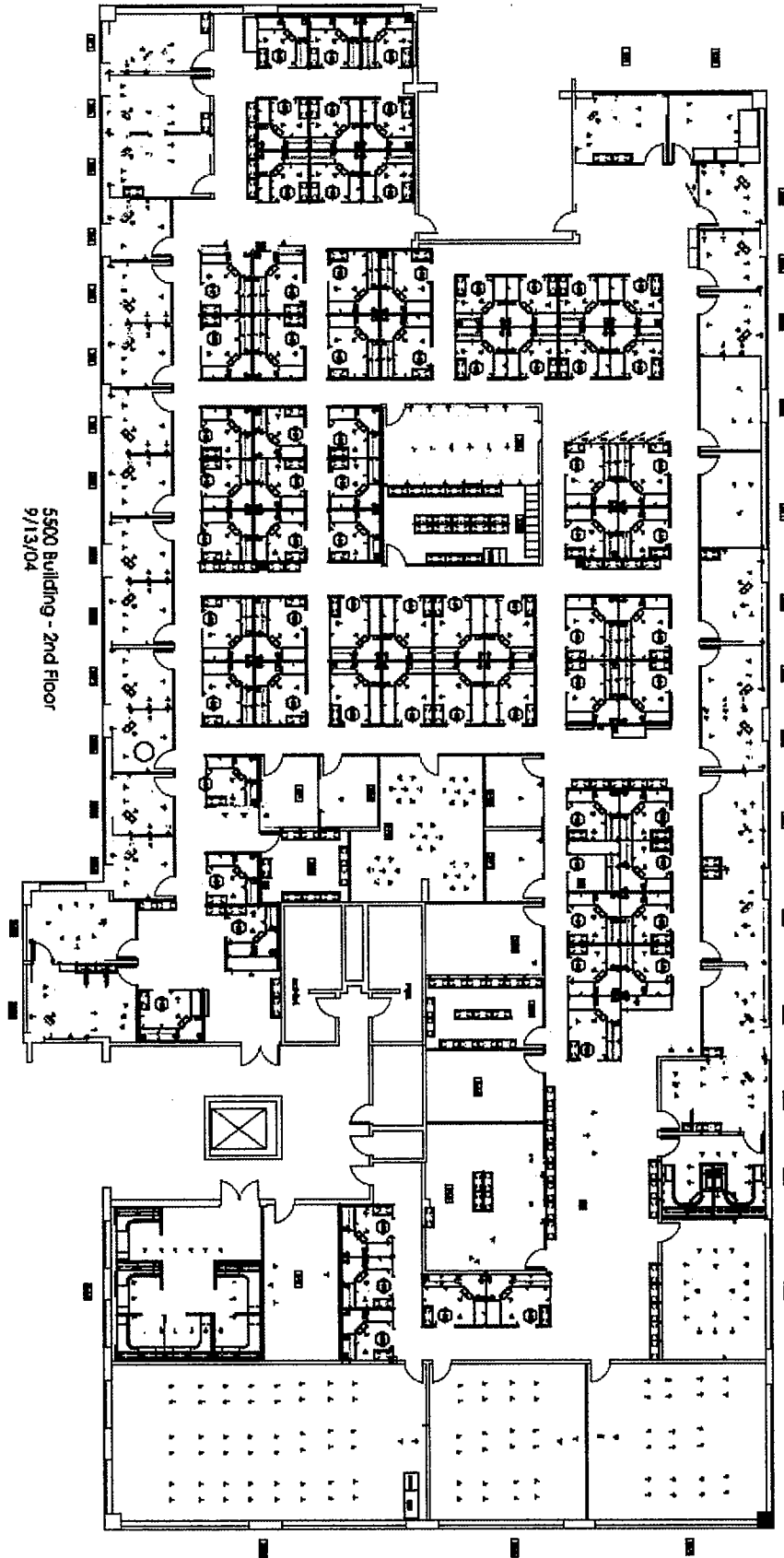
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SACHI A. HAMAI  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

## EXHIBIT A FLOOR PLAN

SS00 Building - 1st Floor  
9/13/04





5500 Building - 2nd Floor  
9/13/04

## EXHIBIT B

### LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

**A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, WITH A SITUS ADDRESS OF 5500 S EASTERN AVE, LOS ANGELES CA 90040-2947 CURRENTLY OWNED BY ARI COP 17 LLC/ARI COP 26 LLC HAVING A TAX ASSESSOR NUMBER OF 6332-022-019 AND BEING THE SAME PROPERTY MORE FULLY DESCRIBED AS P.M 204-27-29 FOR DESC SEE ASSESSOR'S AND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 535834 DATED 03/03/2005 AND RECORDED 03/09/2005.**

EXHIBIT C

MEMORANDUM OF TENANT IMPROVEMENT COSTS

Reference is made to that certain Lease ("Lease") dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2009 between County of Los Angeles, a body politic and corporate ("Tenant"), and ARI COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC ("Landlord"), whereby Landlord leased to Tenant and Tenant leased from Landlord certain premises in the building located at 5500 So. Eastern Avenue, Commerce ("Premises"),

Landlord and Tenant hereby acknowledge the following:

- 1) Landlord represents that the Tenant Improvement Work to the Premises is in a Substantially Complete condition as of \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2) The amount of the unused Base Tenant Improvement Allowance shall be credited to Basic Rent owed by the Tenant pursuant to Section 23(c) of this Lease immediately following completion of the Landlord Work, payable within 30 days of execution of this Exhibit.
- 3) Landlord and Tenant hereby confirm the final total cost of the Landlord Work for the Premises which have been completed pursuant to Section 23 of this Lease is: \_\_\_\_\_ (\$ \_\_\_\_\_).
- 4) The remaining balance of the Base Tenant Improvement Allowance available for Tenant as unused allowance pursuant to Paragraph 23(c) of this Lease, equals \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this memorandum is executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

"Tenant"

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,**  
a body politic and corporate

"Landlord"

**ARI-COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC**  
a \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: \_\_\_\_\_



## EXHIBIT D

### HVAC STANDARDS

Landlord shall supply cooling, ventilating and heating with capacity to produce the following results effective during Normal Working Hours established by the Lease and within tolerances normal in comparable office buildings; maintenance of inside space conditions of not greater than 78 degrees Fahrenheit when the outside air temperature is not more than 93 degrees Fahrenheit dry bulb and 70 degrees Fahrenheit wet bulb, and not less than 70 degrees Fahrenheit when the outside air temperature is not lower than 42 degrees Fahrenheit dry bulb. Interior space is designated at a rate of one zone for approximately each 1,000 square feet and one diffuser for each 200 square feet of usable square footage within the Premises. If energy requirements prohibit Landlord from complying with these requirements, Tenant shall not unreasonably withhold its consent to temporary waivers or modifications.

## EXHIBIT E

### CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

1. DAILY (Monday through Friday)
  - A. Carpets vacuumed.
  - B. Composition floors dust-mopped.
  - C. Desks, desk accessories and office furniture dusted. Papers and folders left on desk not to be moved.
  - D. Waste baskets, other trash receptacles emptied.
  - E. Chairs and waste baskets returned to proper position.
  - F. Fingerprints removed from glass doors and partitions.
  - G. Drinking fountains cleaned, sanitized and polished.
  - H. Lavatories, toilets and toilet rooms cleaned and mopped. Toilet supplies replenished.
  - I. Bulb and tube replacements, as required.
  - J. Graffiti expunged as needed within two working days after notice by Tenant.
  - K. Floors washed as needed.
  - L. Kitchen/Lunchroom supplies replenished including paper supplies and soap.
  - M. Exclusive day porter service from \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_ **(if provided by contract)**.
2. WEEKLY
  - A. Low-reach areas, chair rungs, baseboards and insides of door jambs dusted.
  - B. Window sills, ledges and wood paneling and molding dusted.
3. MONTHLY
  - A. Floors washed and waxed in uncarpeted office area.
  - B. High-reach areas, door frames and tops of partitions dusted.
  - C. Upholstered furniture vacuumed, plastic and leather furniture wiped.
  - D. Picture moldings and frames dusted.
  - E. Wall vents and ceiling vents vacuumed.
  - F. Carpet professionally spot cleaned as required to remove stains.
  - G. HVAC chiller water checked for bacteria, water conditioned as necessary.
4. QUARTERLY
  - A. Light fixtures cleaned and dusted, but not less frequently than Quarterly.
  - B. Wood furniture polished.
  - C. Draperies or mini-blinds cleaned as required, but not less frequently than Quarterly.
  - D. HVAC units serviced for preventative maintenance purposes, all filters changed.

5. SEMI-ANNUALLY

- A. Windows washed as required inside and outside but not less frequently than twice annually.
- B. All painted wall and door surfaces washed and stains removed.
- C. All walls treated with vinyl covering washed and stains removed.

6. ANNUALLY

- A. Furniture Systems and any other fabric or upholstered surfaces including chairs, couches, walls, etc., spot cleaned, or if determined to be necessary in Tenant's sole discretion, professionally cleaned in their entirety using a water extraction system.
- B. Bathroom and any other ceramic tile surfaces professionally cleaned using a hand scrub process. All grout and porous surfaces resealed with a professional grade sealant.
- C. Touch-up paint all interior painted surfaces in a color and finish to match existing.

7. AS NEEDED

- A. Premises and the sidewalks, driveways, parking areas and all means of access and egress for the Premises should be maintained in good repair, and in clean and safe condition at all times.
- B. All lawns, shrubbery and foliage on the grounds of the Premises should be maintained in good condition and neat in appearance. Grass and shrubbery must be replanted as needed to maintain the grounds in good appearance and condition.
- C. Carpets to be cleaned using a non-detergent, low moisture, soil encapsulation system as recommended by the carpet manufacturer. The following schedule will be maintained for carpet cleaning: (i) heavy traffic areas as needed with a minimum frequency of bi-monthly [six (6) times per year]; (ii) moderate traffic areas cleaned as needed with a minimum of once every six (6) months [two (2) times per year]; and (iii) clean light traffic areas a minimum of once per year. Landlord agrees that bonnet cleaning is not an acceptable method of cleaning carpets. Tenant to notify Landlord when cleaning is needed.
- D. All walls repainted and wall coverings replaced throughout the Premises. The paint finish should be eggshell or semi-gloss as directed by Tenant and in a color acceptable to Tenant. In no event will Landlord be required to repaint or replace wall coverings more than one (1) time in a five (5) year period (the "Occurrence"). The initial tenant improvements completed prior to Tenant's occupancy or as a condition to the renewal of the Lease shall not constitute and Occurrence for the purpose of determining the frequency of this work.

8. GENERAL

Landlord shall, upon request of Tenant, produce written service contracts as evidence of compliance with the terms of this Cleaning and Maintenance Schedule.

## EXHIBIT F

### LANDLORD'S WORK

Landlord shall perform the following Landlord Work in the Premises, utilizing Landlord's current standard grade, quality, make, style, design and color materials and construction methods for the Building, as applicable:

#### Paint:

- A. Paint all existing interior spaces, including, but not limited to walls, ceilings, doors, and trim. Provide one primer coat and two finish coats.
- B. Provide one base color and two accent colors:
  - Office areas: eggshell or low sheen finish.
  - Restrooms, lunchrooms and breakrooms: semi-gloss.
- C. Specify Dunn Edwards, or approved equal.

#### Carpet:

- A. Install new carpet throughout, including corridors and existing stairways, where carpet is currently installed.
- B. Carpet shall be textured, patterned modular carpet tile, 24oz. minimum yarn weight throughout. Allow for four (4) patterns.
- C. Specify Mannington, Masland, Designweave, Shaw Contract, or approved equal.
- D. Landlord will be responsible for the furniture lift for carpet replacement, including moving any furniture, fixtures, and/or equipment (including the disconnection of electrical equipment), and other property which Landlord or its contractor may require be moved to perform the work, provided however, that upon prior notice from Landlord or its contractor, Tenant shall arrange for all appropriate telephone, communication and computer wires or cables to be disconnected in advance of the moving of such equipment. Landlord and Tenant hereby agree to cooperate with the other party and exercise reasonable, good faith efforts to coordinate the timing and planning of the Tenant Improvement work.

#### HVAC:

- A. Perform an air balance and provide air balance report. If necessary, perform HVAC repairs to correct any cooling/heating problems.

#### Security and Access System upgrade:

- A. Upgrade keycard access system to the building. (specifications forthcoming).

Any other work Tenant deems necessary - Plans and specifications to be forthcoming.

**SUPPLEMENTAL LEASE DOCUMENTS**

**For**

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE  
LEASE AND AGREEMENT**

**DEPARTMENT: CHILD SUPPORT SERVICE, as Tenant**

**LANDLORD: ARI-COMMERCE OFFICE PARK, LLC, a LIMITED LIABILITY  
CORPORATION**

**5500 SO. EASTERN AVENUE, COMMERCE, CA**

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Document I - Subordination, Nondisturbance and Attornment Agreement

Document II - Tenant Estoppel Agreement

Document III - Community Business Enterprises Form

Document IV - Memorandum of Lease

Document V - Request for Notice

**DOCUMENT I**

**SUBORDINATION, NONDISTURBANCE  
AND ATTORNMENT AGREEMENT**

**AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:**

**County of Los Angeles**

**Chief Executive Office**

**Real Estate Division**

**222 South Hill Street**

**3rd Floor**

**Los Angeles, California 90012**

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**Space above for Recorder's Use**

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**SUBORDINATION, NONDISTURBANCE  
AND ATTORNMENT AGREEMENT**

**NOTICE: THIS SUBORDINATION, NONDISTURBANCE AND ATTORNMENT AGREEMENT RESULTS IN YOUR LEASEHOLD ESTATE BECOMING SUBJECT TO AND OF LOWER PRIORITY THAN THE LIEN OF SOME OTHER OR LATER SECURITY INSTRUMENT.**

This Subordination, Nondisturbance and Attornment Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into as of the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_ by and among COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a body politic and corporate ("Tenant"), [*Insert name of Landlord*], ("Borrower") and [*Insert name of Lender*], ("Lender").

**Factual Background**

A. Borrower owns certain real property more particularly described in the attached Exhibit A. The term "Property" herein means that real property together with all improvements (the "Improvements") located on it.

B. Lender has made or agreed to make a loan to Borrower. The Loan is or will be secured by a deed of trust or mortgage encumbering the Property (the "Deed of Trust").

C. Tenant and Borrower (as "Landlord") entered into a lease dated \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Lease") under which Borrower leased to Tenant a portion of the Improvements located within the Property and more particularly described in the Lease (the "Premises").

D. Tenant is willing to agree to subordinate certain of Tenant's rights under the Lease to the lien of the Deed of Trust and to attorn to Lender on the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Tenant is willing to agree to such subordination and attornment and other conditions, provided that Lender agrees to a nondisturbance provision, all as set forth more fully below.

## Agreement

Therefore, the parties agree as follows:

1. Subordination. The lien of the Deed of Trust and all amendments, modifications and extensions thereto shall be and remain at all times a lien on the Property prior and superior to the Lease, except that if Tenant is granted any option to extend the Term of the Lease, right of first offer to lease additional premises, option to purchase the Property, or right of first offer to purchase the Property in the Lease, such provisions shall not be affected or diminished by any such subordination, which is conditioned upon the nondisturbance agreement of Borrower and Lender in Section 3 of this Agreement.

2. Definitions of "Transfer of the Property" and "Purchaser". As used herein, the term "Transfer of the Property" means any transfer of Borrower's interest in the Property by foreclosure, trustee's sale or other action or proceeding for the enforcement of the Deed of Trust or by deed in lieu thereof. The term "Purchaser", as used herein, means any transferee, including Lender, of the interest of Borrower as a result of any such Transfer of the Property and also includes any and all successors and assigns, including Lender, of such transferee.

3. Nondisturbance. The Transfer of the Property or any enforcement of the Deed of Trust shall not terminate the Lease or disturb Tenant in the possession and use of the leasehold estate created thereby, or deprive Lessee of any other property rights granted pursuant to the Lease.

4. Attornment. Subject to Section 3 above, if any Transfer of the Property should occur, Tenant shall and hereby does attorn to Purchaser, including Lender if it should be the Purchaser, as the landlord under the Lease, and Tenant shall be bound to Purchaser under all of the terms, covenants and conditions of the Lease for the balance of the Lease term and any extensions or renewals of it which may then or later be in effect under any validly exercised extension or renewal option contained in the Lease, all with the same force and effect as if Purchaser had been the original landlord under the Lease. This attornment shall be effective and self-operative without the execution of any further instruments upon Purchaser's succeeding to the interest of the landlord under the Lease.

5. Lender Not Obligated. Lender, if it becomes the Purchaser or if it takes possession under the Deed of Trust, and any other Purchaser shall not (a) be liable for any damages or other relief attributable to any act or omission of any prior Landlord under the Lease including Borrower; or (b) be subject to any offset or defense not specifically provided for in the Lease which Tenant may have against any prior landlord under the Lease; or (c) be bound by any prepayment by Tenant of more than one month's installment of rent; or (d) be obligated for any security deposit not actually delivered to Purchaser; or (e) be bound by any modification or amendment of or to the Lease unless the amendment or modification shall have been approved in writing by the Lender.

6. Notices. All notices given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be given by personal delivery, overnight receipted courier or by registered or certified United States mail, postage prepaid, sent to the party at its address appearing below. Notices shall be effective upon receipt (or on the date when proper delivery is refused). Addresses for notices may be changed by any party by notice to all other parties in accordance with this Section.

To Lender: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To Borrower: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To Tenant: County of Los Angeles  
Chief Executive Office  
Real Estate Division  
222 South Hill Street, 3rd Floor  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
Attention: Director of Real Estate

7. Miscellaneous Provisions. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties and their respective successors and assigns. This Agreement is governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of California without regard to the choice of law rules of that State. Any litigation with respect to this Agreement shall be conducted in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.



TENANT: COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,  
a body politic and corporate

APPROVED AS TO FORM

ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COUNSEL

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amy M. Caves  
Senior Deputy County Counsel

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
William L. Dawson  
Director of Real Estate

BORROWER: *[Insert name of Landlord]*

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

LENDER: *[Insert name of Lender],*

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**DOCUMENT II**  
**TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATE**

To: [Insert name of party to rely on document]

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Attn: \_\_\_\_\_

Re:    Date of Certificate: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Lease Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Current Landlord: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Located at: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Premises: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Commencement Date of Term: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
      Current Rent: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Los Angeles ("Tenant") hereby certifies that as of the date hereof:

1.     Tenant is the present owner and holder of the tenant's interest under the lease described above, as it may be amended to date (the "Lease"). The Lease covers the premises described above (the "Premises") in the building (the "Building") at the address set forth above.

2.     (a)    A true, correct and complete copy of the Lease (including all modifications, amendments, supplements, side letters, addenda and riders of and to it) is attached to this Certificate as Exhibit A.

      (b)    The current Rent is set forth above.

      (c)    The term of the Lease commenced on the Commencement Date set forth above and will expire on the Expiration Date set forth above, including any presently exercised option or renewal term. Except as specified in the Lease, Tenant has no option or right to renew, extend or cancel the Lease.

      (d)    Except as specified in the Lease, Tenant has no option or right to lease additional space in the Premises or Building or to use any parking.

      (e)    Except as specified in the Lease, Tenant has no option or preferential right to purchase all or any part of the Premises (or the land of which the Premises are a part).

      (f)    Tenant has made no agreement with Landlord or any agent, representative or employee of Landlord concerning free rent, partial rent, rebate of rental payments or any other similar rent concession except as expressly set forth in the Lease.

3. (a) The Lease constitutes the entire agreement between Tenant and Landlord with respect to the Premises, has not been modified, changed, altered or amended and is in full force and effect. There are no other agreements, written or oral, which affect Tenant's occupancy of the Premises.

(b) To the knowledge of Tenant, Tenant has not given Landlord written notice of a material default under the Lease which has not been cured.

(c) The interest of Tenant in the Lease has not been assigned or encumbered. Tenant is not entitled to any credit against any rent or other charge or rent concession under the Lease except as set forth in the Lease. No rental payments have been made more than one month in advance.

4. All contributions required to be paid by Landlord to date for improvements to the Premises have been paid in full and all of Landlord's obligations with respect to tenant improvements have been fully performed.

5. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of California. Any litigation with respect to this Agreement shall be conducted in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Tenant has executed this Tenant Estoppel Certificate as of the day set forth above.

TENANT:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
William L. Dawson  
Director of Real Estate

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COUNSEL

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amy M. Caves  
Senior Deputy County Counsel

### **DOCUMENT III**

#### **COMMUNITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FORM**

INSTRUCTIONS: All Landlords shall submit this form on an annual basis on or before December 30th of each year of the term of this agreement as evidence of MBE/WBE participation. The information requested below is for statistical purposes only. On final analysis and consideration of lease will be selected without regard to gender, race, creed, or color. Categories listed below are based on those described in 49 CFR Section 23.5.

I. **MINORITY/WOMEN PARTICIPATION IN FIRM** (Partners, Associates  
Partners, Managers, Staff, etc.)

FIRM:           NAME

ADDRESS

CONTACT

TELEPHONE NO.

TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES IN FIRM: \_\_\_\_\_

	OWNERS/PARTNERS ASSOCIATE PARTNERS	MANAGERS	STAFF
Black/African American	_____	_____	_____
Hispanic/Latin America	_____	_____	_____
Asian American	_____	_____	_____
Portuguese American	_____	_____	_____
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	_____	_____	_____
All Others	_____	_____	_____
Women (Should be included in counts above <u>and</u> also reported here separately)	_____	_____	_____

II. PERCENTAGE OF MINORITY/WOMEN OWNERSHIP IN FIRM

TYPE OF BUSINESS STRUCTURE: \_\_\_\_\_ (Corporation, Partnership,  
Sole Proprietorship, etc.)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OWNERSHIP/PARTNERS, ETC.: \_\_\_\_\_

PERCENTAGE OF OWNERSHIP

Black/African American	_____
Hispanic/Latin American	_____
Asian American	_____
Portuguese American	_____
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	_____
All Others	_____
Women	_____

(Should be included in counts  
above and also reported  
here separately)

III. CURRENT CERTIFICATION AS MINORITY/WOMEN-OWNED FIRM

IS YOUR FIRM CURRENTLY CERTIFIED AS A MINORITY OWNED BUSINESS  
FIRM BY THE:

State of California?	Yes	No
City of Los Angeles?	Yes	No
Federal Government?	Yes	No

IV. FIRM'S DESIRE NOT TO RESPOND TO INFORMATION

WE DO NOT WISH TO PROVIDE THE INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THIS  
FORM.

Firm Name:

Signed:

Date:

Title:

**DOCUMENT IV**

**MEMORANDUM OF LEASE**

**RECORDING REQUESTED BY AND  
WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:**

County of Los Angeles  
Chief Executive Office  
Real Estate Division  
222 South Hill Street  
3rd Floor  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
Attention: Director of Real Estate

This document is recorded for the benefit of the County of Los Angeles and recording is exempt from recording fees pursuant to California Government Code Section 27383. This transaction is exempt from documentary transfer tax pursuant to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 11922.

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**MEMORANDUM OF LEASE**

This Memorandum of Lease ("Memorandum") is made and entered into by and between \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Landlord"), and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a public body corporate and politic duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California (the "Tenant") who agree as follows:

Landlord and Tenant hereby enter a Lease of certain property (the "Lease") in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, for a term commencing on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and ending on a date \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) years after the commencement date, unless such term is extended or sooner terminated pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in a certain unrecorded Lease between Landlord and Tenant dated \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

[Tenant has the option to extend the term of the Lease for a period of \_\_\_\_ ( ) years, subject to the terms and conditions of the Lease.]

This Memorandum has been prepared for the purpose of giving notice of the Lease and of its terms, covenants, and conditions, and for no other purposes. The provisions of this Memorandum shall not in any way change or affect the provisions of the Lease, the terms of which remain in full force and effect.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

LANDLORD:

TENANT:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: \_\_\_\_\_

**DOCUMENT V**

**REQUEST FOR NOTICE**

**RECORDING REQUESTED BY  
AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:**

County of Los Angeles  
Chief Executive Office  
Real Estate Division  
222 South Hill Street  
3rd Floor  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
Attention: Director of Real Estate

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**REQUEST FOR NOTICE**

**(UNDER SECTION 2924B CIVIL CODE)**

In accordance with Section 2924b, Civil Code, request is hereby made that a copy of any Notice of Default and a copy of any Notice of Sale under the Deed of Trust described below:

Date of Recording of Deed of Trust

Instrument Number of Deed of Trust

Trustor

Trustee

Beneficiary



To be mailed to County of Los Angeles, Chief Executive Office, Real Estate Division,  
222 South Hill Street, 3rd Floor, Los Angeles, California 90012, Attention: Director of  
Real Estate.

"LENDER:

\_\_\_\_\_,  
a \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNEE'S NAME

Its:     SIGNEE'S TITLE

(ALL SIGNATURES MUST BE ACKNOWLEDGED)

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ss.

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ a Notary Public in and for the State of California, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ personally known to me (or proved on the  
basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the  
within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in  
his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the  
instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed  
the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_.